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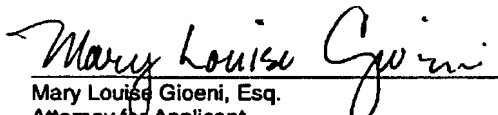
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**TITLE: COMPOUNDS AND KITS FOR PREPARING  
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**Response to Final Office Action Under 37 CFR §1.116**

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on April 30, 2007, in connection with the above-identified U.S. Patent Application. As the three-month period for response expires on July 30, 2007, this response is timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.